PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 07810.0121-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
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| Michael J. GARSKA et al. Application No.: 10/531,470 Filed: November 21, 2005 |)) Group Art Unit: 3653)) Examiner: Kalyanavenka K. Kumar)) Confirmation No.: 7009) |
| For: METHOD OF TREATING AN AQUEOUS SUSPENSION OF KAOLIN | |
| MAIL STOP: AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 | <u>Via EFS-Web</u> |

Sir:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant requests a two-month extension-of-time to file a reply to the final Office Action of August 27, 2008. Payment of the \$490.00 extension-of-time fee is submitted by credit card concurrently herewith through the Office's EFS-Web system.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached Notice of Appeal and Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 27, 2009

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